

Equity Council Agenda

Zoom Meeting Time: September 23, 2020 3:30 - 4:30 PM

Welcomes & Introductions

• Executive Office of Health and Human Services EOHHS) Secretary Womazetta Jones welcomed the council members

Updates from the Last Meeting

Family Care Community Partnerships (FCCPs) | Led by Deb Buffi, Associate Director of Contracts and Compliance at Department of Children, Youth, and Families (DCYF)

FCCP is a program that is focused on prevention. It helps connect families going through
hard times with services based on their personal goals. More information can be found
here: http://www.dcyf.ri.gov/fccps/.

Providence College Outbreak Update | Rhode Island Department of Health Director Dr. Nicole Alexander-Scott

 Most cases are concentrated in the direct Providence College community and not greater neighborhood community. Providence College is currently on stay at home and distance learning orders. More information: https://www.ri.gov/press/view/39371

Community Feedback: What are you hearing from the community? What should the State know?

• A member voiced that some in-person learning teachers are concerned about the safety of their at-risk relatives. A member of the RIDOH staff is working with schools so that they will provide the necessary accommodations.

Next Steps

 A call was made for volunteers to provide input on the upcoming RIDOH COVID vaccination campaign as well as additional volunteers for the high-density zone informational campaign

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Closing remarks given by Secretary Womazetta Jones